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Material Safety Data Sheet

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EMERGENCY TELEPHONE (Health/Accident): (800) 877-1940

1 PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

REAGENT NAME:

POTASSIUM IODIDE-IODATE N/44 (0.023N)

REAGENT CODE:

L6105

REAGENT APPLICATION AREA:

FIELD TEST REAGENT

2 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Information for specific product ing redients as required by the U.S. OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STAND ARD is listed. Refer to additional sections of this MSDS for our assessment of the potential hazards of this formulation.

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:

This product is not hazardous as def ined by OSHA regulations.

No component is considered to be a carcinogen by the National Toxicology Program, the International Agency for Research on Cancer, or the Occupational Safety and Health Admin istration at OSHA thresholds for carcinogens.

3 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EME RGENCY OVERVIEW

CAUTION

May cause slight irritation to the skin. May cause moderate irritation to the eyes. May cause irritation to mucous membranes.

Repeated exposure may result in r espiratory sensitization.

DOT hazard is not applicable Emergency Response Guide is not a pplicable Odor: None; Appearance: Colorless, Liquid

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (full face-piece type). Proper fire-extinguishing media: dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foa m or water

POTENTIAL HEA LTH EFFECTS

ACUTE SKIN EFFECTS:

Primary route of exposure; May cause slight irritation to the skin.

ACUTE EYE EFFECTS:

May cause moderate irritation to the eyes.

ACUTE RESPIRATORY EFFECTS:

May cause irritation to mucous me mbranes. Repeated exposure may result in respiratory sensitizati on.

INGESTION EFFECTS:

May cause slight gastrointestinal irritation with possible nausea, vomiting, abdominal discomfort and diarrhea.

TARGET ORGANS:

No evidence of potential chronic effects.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED:

Not known.

SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

May cause redness or itching of s kin.

4 FIRST AID MEASURES

SKIN CONTACT:

Remove contaminated clothing. Was h exposed area with a large quantity of soap solution or water for 15 minutes.

EYE CONTACT:

Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Immediately contact a physician for additional treatment.

INHALATION:

Remove victim from contaminated a rea to fresh air. Apply appropriate first aid treatment as necessary.

INGESTION:

Do not feed anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsive victim. Do not induce vomiting. I mmediately contact physician. Dilute contents of stomach using 3-4 glasses milk or water.

NOTES TO PHYSICIANS:

No special instructions

5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (full face-piece type).

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

dry chemical, carbon dioxide, foa m or water

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

Thermal decomposition (destructive fires) yields elemental oxides.

FLASH POINT:

> 200F > 93C P - M(CC)

6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PROTECTION AND SPILL CONTAINMENT:

Ventilate area. Use specified pro tective equipment. Contain and absorb on absorbent material. Place in waste disposal container. Flush area with water. Wet area m ay be slippery. Spread sand/grit.

DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS:

Water contaminated with this prod uct may be sent to a sanitary sewer treatment facility, in accordance with any local agreement, a permitted waste treatment facility or disch arged under a permit. Product as is - Incinerate or land dispose in an approve d landfill.

7 HANDLING & STORAGE

HANDLING:

Normal chemical handling.

STORAGE:

Keep containers closed when not i n use. Protect from freezing.

8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPO SURE LIMITS

This product is not hazardous as def ined by OSHA regulations.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

adequate ventilation

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

Use protective equipment in accordance with 29CFR 1910 Subpart I RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

A RESPIRATORY PROTECTION PR OGRAM THAT MEETS OSHA'S 29 CFR 1910.134 AND ANSI Z88.2 REQ UIREMENTS MUST BE FOLLOWED WHENEVER WORKPLACE CONDITIONS WARRAN T A RESPIRATOR'S USE.

USE AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATO RS WITHIN USE LIMITATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE EQUIPMENT OR ELSE USE SUPPLIED AIR-RESPIRATORS.

If air-purifying respirator use is appropriate, use a

respirator with dust/mist f ilters.

SKIN PROTECTION:

neoprene gloves -- Wash off after each use. Replace as necessary.

EYE PROTECTION:

splash proof chemical goggl es

9 PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Specific Grav. (70F,21C) 1.000 Vapor Pressure (mmHG) ND Freeze Point (F) ND Vapor Density (air=1) ND

Freeze Point (C) ND

Viscosity(cps 70F,21C) ND % Solubility (water) ND

Odor None

Appearance Colo rless Physical State Liqu id

Flash Point $P \sim M(CC) > 200F > 93C$

pH As Is (approx.) 8.0 Evaporation Rate (Ether=1) < 1.00

NA = not applicable ND = not determin ed

10 STABILITY & REACTIVITY

STABILITY:

Stable under normal storage conditions.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:

Will not occur.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

May react with strong oxidizers.

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

Thermal decomposition (destructiv e fires) yields elemental oxides.

INTERNAL PUMPOUT/CLEANOUT CATEGORIES :

11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Oral LD50 RAT: >2 ,000 mg/kg

NOTE - Estimated value

Dermal LD50 RABBIT: >2 ,000 mg/kg

NOTE - Estimated value

12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

AQUATIC TOXICOLOGY

No Data Available.

BIODEGRADATION

No Data Available.

13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

If this undiluted product is disc arded as a waste, the US RCRA hazardous waste identification nu mber is : Not applicable.

Please be advised; however, that state and local requirements for waste disposal may be more restrictive or otherwise different from federal regulations. Consult state and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of this material.

14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT HAZARD: UN / NA NUMBER: Not Applicable Not applicable

DOT EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDE #: Not applicable

15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA:

All components of this product are listed in the TSCA inventory.

CERCLA AND/OR SARA REPORTABLE QUANTI TY (RQ):

No regulated constituent prese nt at OSHA thresholds

SARA SECTION 312 HAZARD CLASS:

Product is non-hazardous under Section 311/312

SARA SECTION 302 CHEMICALS:

No regulated constituent prese nt at OSHA thresholds

SARA SECTION 313 CHEMICALS:

No regulated constituent prese nt at OSHA thresholds

CALIFORNIA REGULATORY INFORMATION

CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND T OXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65) CHE MICALS PRESENT:

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds MICHIGAN REGULATORY INFORMATION

No regulated constituent present at OSHA thresholds

16 OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA/HMIS	CODE	TRANSLATION

Health	1	Slight Hazard
Fire	0	Minimal Hazard
Reactivity	0	Minimal Hazard
Special	NONE	No special Hazard
(1) Protective Equipment	В	Goggles, Gloves

(1) refer to section 8 of MSDS fo r additional protective equipment recommendations.

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